Ms. Beth O'Donnell Executive Director Public Service Commission

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To the PSC

Concerning the matter of the proposed rate increase by Mallard Point Disposal System Inc. We are objecting to the proposed rate increase of 49.57 % (existing monthly \$35.29 to a proposed monthly of \$52.78) as unacceptable. The current rate seems to be high in relation to similar subdivisions in our area and is the result of a recent rate increase by this body. As you can see by the number and tone of previously submitted documents on this matter there is a great deal of ill will on the part of all involved and there is no better barometer of this deplorable situation than the nearly 50% increase. This is, in our opinion, an emotional response on the part of the utility and not a well thought out business decision. Your review will determine if that is the case. Mr. Smith is the President of our homeowners association and has several business dealings that are intertwined with our subdivision. This is a situation that the residents and Mr. Smith should never have allowed to happen and as long time residents we bear our share of responsibility for this. If the Commission does not think that this has a bearing on this current matter before you please consider that Mr. Smith as president of our homeowners association would be the person to lead and take charge of an organized effort to object to a rate increase especially one in the 50% range. If the utility is granted a fair rate increase after a proper review then so be it. But in our opinion that is not possible with the current situation and heated environment. Thank you for your attention in this matter.

Sincerely,

Mames Payne

Karen Payne

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